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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

A three (3) month extension of time, from March 7, 2008, to and including June 7, 2008, is requested to respond to the Office Action, mailed December 7, 2007 in the above-referenced application. June 7, 2008 falls on a Saturday; therefore Applicant submits that the concurrently filed Response is timely filed on Monday, June 9, 2008. In view of the small entity status of Applicant, please find enclosed a credit card payment form covering the small entity extension fee of \$525.00.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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